

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : **Confirmation No. 9921**
Shin-ichi KADOWAKI et al. : Attorney Docket No. 2004_1498A
Serial No. 10/509,740 : Group Art Unit 2627
Filed July 26, 2005 : Examiner Peter V. Agustin

OPTICAL DISC DRIVE, OPTICAL STORAGE
MEDIUM COMPRISING MULTIPLE TRACKS
INCLUDING AN EDGE OF A MARK AND AN
EDGE OF A SPACE DENOTING PLAYBACK
SIGNAL QUALITY, OPTICAL STORAGE
MEDIUM INSPECTION APPARATUS, AND
OPTICAL STORAGE MEDIUM INSPECTION
METHOD (As Amended)

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AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action dated October 27, 2008, the period for response having been extended by one month to February 27, 2009, the Applicants respectfully request reconsideration and further examination of the application in view of the following amendments and remarks.